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Development (1948) Department.

MS SERIES

G.O. NO. 4347

Dated 23-8-1948

[Despatch Abstract.]

Postwar Development — Development of sugarcane industry — Hospet Sugarcane Growers Cooperative Union and Bellary District Sugarcane grower Cooperative societies — Resuscitation temporary Cooperative Staff — Sanction

CEDED DISTRICTS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD. 54959

SUBJECT

9/11/945

INDUSTRIES - Sugar industry - Bellary District - The Hospet Sugar Factory area - Scheme of the Registrar of Cooperative Societies for development - Submitted to Government.

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Station: Chepauk, Madras. D.Dis.568/45.
Dated 7th Sep.'45.

From

Sri B.Joogappa, M.A.,
Secretary, Ceded Districts
Economic Development Board,
Chepauk, Madras.

A.R. MacEwen Esquire, C.I.E., M.C., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue and Irrigation,
Chairman.

REF: Letter No.Rc.647/45-F.dated 24-8-45 from the Registrar of Cooperative Societies.

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Submitted to Government.

2. The Board recommends to the Government, the scheme of the Registrar of Cooperative Societies to revive the Hospet Cane Growers' Co-operative Union or resuscitate the other existing societies in the area.

SECRETARY.

To

The Secretary to Government, Development Department, Madras. (with enclosures.).

Copy to the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Madras.

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From
W.R.S.Satthainadhan, Esq., I.C.S.,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to Govt.,
Development Department,
Madras.

Rc. 647/45-F. Dated-24--8--1945.

Sir, Through the Secretary, the Ceded Districts Economic Dev. Board.

Sub:--Hospet Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Union--Bellary District and Sugar Cane Growers' Co-Operative Societies--Resuscitation of the societies--Scheme.

Ref:--i) The Government Memoranda No. 1145 Development J1/45-6, dated 5--4--45 and 5--4--45.
ii) My letter Rc. 647/45-F, dated 8--8--45.

In my letter cited I intimated Government that there was no need for starting a new Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Society in each of the villages in Hospet Sugar Factory area as suggested by the Secretary, Ceded Districts Economic Development Board and that necessary steps would be taken by me to resuscitate the existing sugar cane growers' Societies in the area. Government agreed with my suggestion in their letter No. 1145-J1 45-9, dated 5--4--1945.

2. I have since received a plan of work for the revival of the Sugar Cane Growers' Co-operative Societies working in the Hospet Factory area prepared by the Deputy Registrar, Bellary in consultation with the managing director of the factory. The factory has financed the Sugarcane Growers for the cultivation of 1200 acres and about 1600 acres more will have to be financed to ensure an adequate supply of cane to the factory. The entire extent will be covered by six Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Societies which have already been financed by the Hospet Central Bank. Three societies have so far issued loans to the extent of Rs. 26,161/- for sugarcane cultivation. The other societies have been advised to obtain the necessary finance from the Central Bank In view of these arrangements no difficulty would be felt this year for getting the necessary supply of sugarcane to the factory The Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Union, Hospet has, however, represented that the activities of the Union for improving the Sugarcane cultivation in the area required to be revived and that the grant of assistance and the appointment of special staff to supervise and assist the working of the Union and the cane societies will go a long way to ensure adequate cane supply to the factory and at the same time assure reasonable income to the cane grower.

3. The scheme of assistance to Sugar Cane Growers' with the help of grants from the Sugar Excise Fund was in operation from 1938 and was wound up on 30-6-44. During the working of this scheme a staff of one Agricultural Demonstrator, two agricultural Maistries, one Senior Inspector of Co-operative Societies, and one lower division clerk were sanctioned to the Union. The entire staff was withdrawn on 30-6-44. Nearly 5 to 6 thousand acres of land are under sugarcane cultivation in the area and the cane growers have to be constantly instructed in the introd ction and growing of cane best suited to the different localities such as early, mid and late maturing varieties for feeing the factory for an extended working season, in the adoption of measures to protect the crops from insect pests, and diseases in properly manuring the crops etc. All these items of work can be attended to only by the special staff. I, therefore, consider that the entire agricultural and co-operative staff as were working in the area under the Sugar Exise Fund scheme are necessary for the revival of the proper working of the sugar cane growers co-operative Union and the cane societies. The Director of Agriculture whom I consulted in the matter agrees with my views. A copy of his letter No. C2-792/45, dated 20-7-45 is enclosed. In the circumstances, I request Government to sanction out of Provincial funds a staff of one Agricultural Demonstrator and 2 Agricultural Maistries, one Senior Inspector of Co-operative Societies and one lower Division Clerk for a period of one year from the date of appointment to work in the Hospet Sugar Cane Factory area as before.

25/8/45

FOR REGISTRAR.

PRN. 25-8.

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Copy of letter C.2. 792/45, dated 20--7--45 from the Director of Agriculture, Guindy, Madras to the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Madras.

Sub:--Sugar Excise Fund--Hospet Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Union--Bellary District--Extension of scheme--revival.

Ref:--Your 647/45-I dated 30--6--45.

I agree with your views that the entire agricultural, and Co-operative staff as were working under the Sugar Excise Fund scheme are necessary for the revival of proper working of the union societies in the area and accordingly suggest that necessary provision for the staff may be made in the proposed scheme.

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For Director of Agriculture.

/True copy/

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Dev. Dept. 7

Memo. No. 54959-JI/45-2 dated. 6/10/45

Sub: Civil supplies. Hospet Sugarcane Growers' Coop. Union, Bellary Dt. and Sugarcane Growers' Coop. Societies - Resuscitation - Staff.

Ref: From the R.C.S. No. 647/45-F dated 24.9.45

The Scheme of assistance to sugarcane growers financed by the Govt. of India from out of their Sugar Excise Fund has been continued for over six years in the Bellary District. At the time when the Scheme was originally sanctioned, it was considered that a period of five years would be sufficient to complete the process of organisation of Coop. Societies and their working thereafter in such a way to ensure as to enable the cane cultivator to protect himself

effectively. It has been suggested that at the end of the period of six years and a half during which the scheme of assistance was in force the cane grower must have been sufficiently educated in the matter of cane growing as not to need constant instruction from a special staff and that he can get whatever instruction he still needs from the Agricultural staff having jurisdiction over his area. It has also been suggested that the provision of Grower Co-op. Staff by the Hospet Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Union free of cost cannot be justified unless the Union has no proper men of its own to manage its business or its finances are so bad that it cannot maintain a staff from its own funds.

In these circumstances the RCS is requested.

Para 3, p. 3 ref.

to explain fully why Crosse assistance should be continued by the appointment of the Special Staff mentioned in his reference cited above.

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To The RCS
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Dev. 1175 JI/45
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From
W.R.S.Sathianadhan, Esq., I.C.S.,
Registrar of Cooperative Societies,
M a d r a s.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Fort St.George, Madras.

R.C.647/45-F, dated 26--11--1945.

Sir,

Sub:--THE HOSPET SUGAR CANE GROWERS COOPERATIVE UNION--Bellary District and Sugar Cane Societies--Resuscitation of the societies--Scheme.

Ref:--i) The Government Memorandum No.5495 J1/45-2, d/ 6-10-45.
ii) my letter No.647/45-F, dated 24--8--45.

In their memorandum cited Government have asked me to justify my proposals for the employment of the special staff to assist the Sugar cane growers in the cultivation of sugar cane in the Hospet Sugar Factory area taking into consideration the facts that under the Sugar Excise scheme it was considered that instruction to ryots over a period of 5 years was sufficient to enable the cane grower to protect himself effectively, that during the 6½ years that the scheme was in force he must have been sufficiently educated as not to need the constant instruction of the special staff and that he could still get whatever instructions he needs from the regular agricultural staff. I submit that inspite of the good work turned out by the special staff during the 6½ years when the scheme was in force, the cane growers who are mostly illiterate did not benefit by the instructions to the extent anticipated. This is evident from the fact that after the withdrawal of the staff there has been a fall in the recovery of sugar. The record maintained by the India Sugars and Refineries Ltd., Hospet shows that in the last season the output of sugar was 61,065 bags for a tonnage of 64,561 as against 64,203 bags for a tonnage of 60,120 in the previous year. The percentage of recovery works out to 9.45% and 10.71% respectively. It is ascertained that the fall in the yield of sugar was due to insufficient manuring, failure to select good seed suitable to the locality and failure to take steps to eradicate the sugar pest which is of a severe type. The Pest Act was not enforced in the area in view of the poverty stricken condition of the cane growers. There has been an increase in the area of sugar cane cultivation from 3,510 acres to 4,400 acres. Obviously the cane growers are not strictly adhering to the principle of the rotation of crops. While the quantity of cane grown has increased the quality of cane has deteriorated. The ryots do not have a natural inclination to grow their sugar cane on improved methods. It is not likely that they would seek the advice of the regular agricultural staff as suggested by Government. It is only the Special Staff which can induce them to take to new methods of cultivation through demonstrations and timely instruction. There is therefore a strong case for the employment of the Special Agricultural Staff in this area.

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2. Government have further observed that provision of Government cooperative staff to the Hospet Sugar Cane Growers' Cooperative Union cannot be justified unless the union has no proper Len of its own to manage its affairs or that its finances are so bad that it cannot maintain a staff of its own. This Union was started on 6-1-38 It has a membership of 159 with a paid up share capital of Rs.246. It owes Government under subsidy account Rs.2,438-6-0 and has a stock of implements valued at Rs.2,409-4-0. The cash balance on hand and in bank is Rs.127-12-0. It's income is derived chiefly from the hire on agricultural implements and this will be a negligible sum. The union has no other funds. During 44-45 it sustained loss of Rs.127-12-0. In the circumstances the union cannot maintain a staff of its own. There are also no possibilities of increasing its income. Without special Coop Staff sanctioned by Government the union cannot help the cane growers to the extdnt necessary.

I, therefore, request Government to sanction the staff specified in my letter No.647/45- Dated 24--8--1945.

for REGISTRAR.

PRN. 26-11.

26/11/45.

DEVELOPMENT (J.I) DEPARTMENT

LETTER NO. 54959 J.I/45-4, DATED 7th January ~~DECEMBER~~ 1946.

To

The Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Department of Agriculture, New Delhi.

Sir

Sub: AGRICULTURE - Grow More Food Campaign - Staff for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crops from insect pests and diseases in the Hospet Sugar Factory area.

Ref: Correspondence resting with your Dept. letter No.F.29-3/45-A, dated 10-4-45.

I am directed to invite a reference to this Govt. letter No. 34758/45-2, Development, dated 1-2-45 in which the Govt. of India were informed that the Sugar Excise Fund Scheme in the Bellary Dt. was wound up on the afternoon of 30-6-44. In spite of the good work turned out by the special staff who were employed during the 6½ years when the scheme was in force, the canegrowers of the area, who are mostly illiterate, did not benefit by the instructions to the extent anticipated. This is evident from the fact that after the withdrawal of the staff there has been a fall in the recovery of sugar by the Hospet Sugar factory. From the records of this factory it is observed that in the last season the output of sugar was ~~61,129~~ 61,043 bags for a tonnage of 64,561 as against 64,206 bags for a tonnage of 60,129 in the previous year. The percentage of recovery works out to 9.45 and 10.71 respectively in the two years in question. Such a fall in the yield of sugar has taken place in spite of an increase in ~~this~~ the area under sugarcane cultivation from 3,510 acres to 4,400 acres. This is attributed mainly to insufficient manuring, ~~failure~~ failure to select good seed suitable to the ~~local~~ locality, non-adherence to the principles of rotation of crops, and failure to take necessary steps to eradicate the sugarcane pest of this area which is of a severe type. This Govt. consider that in order to induce the poverty stricken ryots of the area to take to improved methods of cultivation through demonstrations and timely instructions it is necessary to employ for a period of ~~six~~

one year the following staff which is the same staff as was previously employed under the S.E.F. Scheme:- One Agricultural Demonstrator, Two Agricultural Demonstrators/Maistries, one Senior Inspector of Coop. Societies and a Lower division clerk. The total cost on account of the employment of this staff will amount to Rs. 3708/- as shown in the annexure. I am directed to request the Government of India to be so good as to sanction a grant of Rs. 1854/- towards half the cost of the staff.

In this connection I am directed to invite your attention to item (3) in the Govt. of India, Dept. of E.H.&Lands, letter No. F.16-4/44-P, dated 9-9-44.

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Y. O. S.

Rem. one month

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The R.C.S. and the ... are informed that the ... ingestion will be ... by the grant ... D. agree to bear half the ... the staff.

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ANNEXURE.

Name of post & No.	Pay per month (and deerness allowance) Revised		Cost for one year. Revised	
	Rs.		Rs.	
Agricultural Demonstrator	93	118	1116	1416
Senior Inspector of Coop. Societies	108	108	1296	1296
Lower Division Clerk	46	63	552	756
2 Agricultural Demonstrators/Maistries	62	72	744	864
			3708	4332
A Total Cost —				
Half the cost — Rs.			1854	2166

Increase of Rs 312

21/12/45

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No.4071-Crop/46.
Government of India.
Department of Agriculture.
New Delhi the 29 May,1946.

From

S.K.Ghose Esquire, M.A.,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Food Department.

Agriculture- Grow More Food Campaign
Staff for improving methods of Sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crops from Insect pests diseases in the Sugar Hospet Factory area.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.54959J.1/45-6, dated the 7th January,1946 and subsequent reminder No. 614-C/46-2, dated the 26th April,1946, on the subject mentioned above, I am directed to say that the matter is still under consideration of the Government of India and a further communication will be sent to you as soon as a final decision is reached in the matter

I have the honourto be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

S K Ghose

Assistant Secretary.

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No.F.47-7/46-Crops.
Government of India.
Department of Agriculture.
New Delhi, the 10th June, 1947.
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15 JUN 1947 GOVT. OF INDIA SECRETARIAT TO GOVT. DEPARTMENT

From

S.K. Ghose, Esquire, M.A.,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Additional Secretary to the
Government of Madras, Development
Department, M_A_D_R_A_S.

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ADDITIONAL ASSISTANT SECRETARY 25 JUN 1947 FOOD DEPARTMENT

Subject:- Agriculture - Grow More Food Campaign - Staff for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crops from insect pests and disease in the Hospet sugar factory area.

Sir,

A I With reference to your letter No.54959J-1/45-6, dated the 7th January 1946, and subsequent reminder on the subject mentioned above, I am directed to say that the Government of India are pleased to meet half the cost i.e. Rs.1,854/- (Rupees one thousand eight hundred and fifty four only) on the staff employed under the scheme for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crops from insect pests and diseases in the Hospect Sugar Factory Area during the year 1946-47 as shown in the annexure to your letter referred to above. I am, however, to add that they have decided to meet the expenditure involved from the share of the Provincial Government from the proceeds of additional temporary excise on sugar under the 1943 and 1944 ordinances which amount to Rs.5,62,000 in the case of Madras Province.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

Dev Dept 56076 Ag/47-1 SAK/10-6

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The reference cited at 'A' above relates to old J. Sec which has been transferred to Food Dept. This may be forwarded to that Dept Z.D

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Dev Dept 18/6/47 Food

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Cooperative Department

Received 15 JUL 1947

Registered

From (Name) N.S.Arunachalam Esq., O.B.E.,I.C.S.,
Designation Registrar of cooperative Societies,
Station Madras.

To The Secretary to Government, Food Department, Fort St. George, Madras.

Enclosures :

No. R.C.647/45 F dated 12-7-1947 194 .

Sir,

Sub:- Sugar - Hospet sugar cane growers Union - Bellary district and sugar -cane growers Cooperative society - resuscitation - sarction for staff. F

Ref:- Government Memo No.627/46 B.dated 24-4-47

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only an interim reply by Govt (pl see proceedings below)

I request to be informed whether the final reply of Government of India has been received in the matter.

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for Registrar. 14/7

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Memo No 627-F-47-17 Dt 23.7.47.

Subj: Joint Supplies - Hospet Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Union Bellary dt and Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Societies - Resuscitation Sanction for staff.

30/23/7

Ref: From the R.C.S letter No Rc 647/45F dt 9/12/7/47. ✓ 19 above

The R.C.S is informed that the final reply of the Govt of India has since been received and the matter is Under Consideration of the Govt ✓ 17 above

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To the R.C

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D.O. Pub (F&S) etc issues

Letter No. 627-F Dated 11 th August 1947.

To

The Secretary to the Government of India,
Department of Agriculture, NEW DELHI.

Sir,

Sub: Agriculture - Grow More Food Campaign - Staff for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crops in the Hospet Sugar factory area.

Ref: Correspondence resting with your letter No.F/47-7/46-Crop dated 10/6/47.

I am directed to say that the scales of pay of the Provincial and the Subordinate Services under the control of the Madras Government have since been revised. The total cost on account of the employment of the staff in question will now amount to Rs. 5,864/- as shown in the annexure as against the previous estimate of Rs. 3,708/-. The Govt. of India have stated in their letter cited that the part of the expenditure will be met from the share of the Provincial Govt. from the proceeds of the additional temporary excise duty on sugar under the 1943-44 ordinances which amount to Rs. 5,62,000 in the case of Madras Province. I am to point out in this connection, that the revised schemes for the development of sugarcane industry in this Province are costing Rs. 11,24,544 proposed to be separately sent to the I.C.S.C./by this Govt. in the Pub. (P. & D. for their consideration for being financed from the allotment of Rs. 5,62,500 on a half grant basis. If these schemes are sanctioned, there will be a balance of only Rs. 228/- for the Govt. of India allotment. In the circumstances, the Madras Govt. earnestly would request that the Govt. of India may be so good as to prevailed upon to meet half the cost of the staff in question which now amounts to Rs. 2704/- excluding the balance available for the reasons stated in the beginning of this letter, either from the normal funds of the I.C.S.C. or by increasing the Govt. of India allotment to the extent necessary. The Madras Govt. trust that they will have no objection to comply with this Govt.'s request in the altered circumstances indicated above as the Govt. of India have already accepted in the principle to meet half the cost in staff.

Yours faithfully,

They therefore trust that the Govt. of India will have no objection to comply with this Govt's aforesaid request in the altered circumstances indicated above.

A very early reply is requested.

Annexure.

Name of post.	Pay and cost of living allowances per month. (1) Rs.	Cost on the basis of average pay and allowances. (2) Rs.
One Agricultural Demonstrator.	100 plus 18 =118	2300.4
One Senior Inspector of Co-op.Societies.	90+18 = 108	1527.6
One Lower Dn. Clerk	45+18 = 63	1026.0
Two Agricultural Demonstration maistries.	20x2+ 16x2 = 72	1010.4
	Total.	5864.4

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No.D.136(1437)Com/47
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture
New Delhi, dated the Feb.48.

From

Sardar Sujan Singh Bedi, M.A.,
Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture,
Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Food Department,
MADRAS

Subject:- Agriculture - Grow More Food Campaign - staff for improving methods of sugarcane crops in the Hospet Sugar Factory Area.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence resting with your letter No.627F/47-20 dated August 11, 1947 I am directed to say that Government of India regret that they are unable to agree to the grant of any additional fund for meeting expenditure on account of the scheme mentioned above. They are however agreeable to meet the extra cost if possible out of the share of the provincial Government from the special grant of Rs. 75 lak set apart for development work. I am to add, that the normal annual grant of the Indian Central Sugarcane Committee has been diverted entirely to research as decided by it in the 4th Meeting held on the 8th February 1946, and no expenditure on the development side can be incurred from this fund.

I have the honour to be,
Sir
Your most obedient servant,

Assistant Secretary

"Sant"
23/2/48

Dev. (P & D I) Dept.

Memorandum No.30118 P & D I/48-1 , dated 31 -3-1948.

Sub:- AGRICULTURE - Grow More Food - Staff for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crop in Hospet Sugar factory area.

Ref:- From the D.A. Madras No.C2-792/45 dated 20-7-45 to the R.C.S.
Govt. Memo No.19599 P & D I/46-74 dated 25-3-1948.

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In 1945 the R.C.S. submitted proposals in consultation with D.A. for the appointment of the staff of one Agricultural Demonstrator, two Demonstration maistries, One Senior Inspector of Co-operative Societies and one L.D. clerk for a period of one year from the date of appointment with a view to resuscitate the Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Societies in the Hospet Sugar Factory area. The proposal has been pending as the final reply from the Govt. of India regarding their concurrence to meet half the cost of the staff has not been received.

The Govt. of India agreed in June 1947 to meet half the cost on account of the employment of the staff viz. Rs. 1,854/- and also stated that the expenditure would be met from the amount of Rs.5,62,500 allotted for the development of sugarcane industry in this Province, ~~from the proceeds of additional temporary excise on sugar under the 1943 and 1944 Ordinances.~~ ~~By then~~ Since then the scales of pay of the services had been revised increasing the cost of the scheme by Rs. 624/-. The Govt. of India were therefore requested to meet half of the extra cost on account of revision of the scales of pay of the staff either from the normal funds of the I.C.S.C. or by increasing the Govt. of India's allotment to the extent necessary. The Govt. of India have ~~since~~ declined to give any additional grants on account of the scheme. They have however agreed to meet the extra cost if possible, out of the allotment of Rs. 5,62,500 made to this Province from the special grant of Rs.75 lakhs set apart from

from developmental work. The I.C.S.C. has also in their letter No.96 (1)/47-447 dated 11-3-1948, while communicating their approval of the revised scheme for the development of sugarcane industry in this Province, stipulated among others, that a sum of Rs. 1,854 would be deducted from the quota allotted to this Province to meet half the cost of the scheme for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation etc. in the Hospet sugar factory area. Thus the proposal for re-suscitating the sugarcane growers' co-operative ~~xxxxx~~ societies in the Hospet area has in effect been included in the 5 year plan for the development of sugarcane industry though the amount of grant is not increased to the extent necessary. As provision has been already made in the revised five year scheme for the development of sugarcane industry in this Province, for starting a liaison farm in the Hospet sugar factory area and also for concentrating and intensifying sugarcane development and propaganda work in the Hospet Taluk, it is considered unnecessary to sanction the proposal mentioned in para 1 above. The D.A. is requested to examine the need for sanctioning the proposal referred to, in consultation with the R.C.S, and submit a report to the Govt. at an early date.

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To the D.A. Madras.
Copy to the R.C.S.

31-3-48

(N.R. 20.4.48)

From
Sri Rao Bahadur J.C.Ryan M.A.
Registrar of Cooperative Societies,
Madras.

To
The Director of Agriculture,
Madras.

RC.647/45-F. Dated 28-5-1948.

Sir,

Sub:- Agriculture - Grow More Food - staff for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crop in Hospet Sugar Factory area.

Ref:- Your letter Roc.No.D.1.1058/47 dated 28-4-1948 and my letter RC.647/45 F dated 4-5-1948.

In continuation of my letter under reference I offer the following remarks on the point raised in Government Memorandum No.30118 P & D 1/48-1 dated 31-3-1948 Development Department.

I invite attention to your letter C.2.792/45 dated 20-7-1945 in which the Director of Agriculture agreed with my views on the need for the retention of the entire staff, both agricultural and cooperative, working under the Sugar Excise Fund Scheme, for the proper working of the sugarcane Growers' Cooperative Union and Societies in the Hospet Sugar factory area. There are 2 Cooperative Societies at Hospet and one at Kamalapuram financing sugar cane growers besides the sugar cane growers' cooperative union which is a propagandist body. For effective propaganda and supervision besides field inspection the services of departmental staff is still necessary. In my proposals submitted to the Government in 1945 provision was made for inclusion of staff relating to both the Agricultural and Cooperative Departments. Now in the revised 5 year scheme for the development of sugar cane industry in this Province, provision has been made only for one agricultural demonstrator, 4 demonstration maistries and one fieldman for Hospet Taluk to conduct propaganda work. While this staff of the agricultural department may be expected to render the necessary technical assistance to cane growers, it will not be possible for them to attend to various other items of work connected with proper management and running of the canegrowers' cooperative societies financing the cane cultivation and supplying the cane to the Hospet Factory. It is therefore essential that a complement of the Cooperative Departmental staff also is sanctioned.

In the proposals submitted by me in 1945, I had asked for One Senior Inspector and one Lower Division clerk. It is now considered that these two cannot cope with the work in the 3 societies satisfactorily. I therefore suggest that the Government may be pleased to sanction 1 Senior Inspector, 1 Junipr Inspector, 1 Lower division clerk and 1 peon. Half the cost of this staff will be covered by the provision of Rs.1,854/- agreed to by the Government of India in June 1947 to be met from the amount of Rs.5,62,500/- allotted to the development of sugarcane industry in this Province.

The total cost of this staff in the revised scales will be as follows:-

	Pay and Dearness allowance per mensem.		Cost per annum.
Cost of 1 Senior Inspector of Coop. Socs.	114		Rs. 1368
Cost of 1 Junior Inspector of Coop.Socs.	89		Rs. 1068
Cost of 1 Lower Division Clerk	67		Rs. 804
Cost of 1 peon	34		Rs. 408
		Total	Rs. 3648

P.T.O.

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The services of the Junior Inspector will be utilised for the Kamalapuram Cooperative Society and the Senior Inspector and Lower Division Clerk with the help of a peon will look after the two societies and one Union at Hospet. It is therefore necessary that the Government is requested to sanction my proposal as revised above, to facilitate development and propaganda work.

P Achyuta

For Registrar

31/5/48

Copy submitted to the Secretary to Government, Development Department, Fort St. George, Madras.

31.5.48

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Dr As.

I Submitted for perusal of 27-28 above. The DA's final report in the matter may be awaited till 15 June

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AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

From
M.S.Sivaraman, Esqr., I.C.S.,
Director of Agriculture,
Chepauk, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government
Development Department
Madras.

Roc.No.D.1. 105 /47 dated 8th June 1948.

Sir,

Sub: AGRICULTURE - Grow More Food - staff for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crops in Hospet sugar factory area.

Ref: i) Govt.Memo 30118 P.& D.I/48-1 dated 31.3.48.
ii) Letter No.Rc.647/45-F dated 28.5.48 from the Registrar of Co-operative Societies.

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The Ceoperative staff proposed by the Registrar of Cooperative Societies in the scheme submitted to Government under his letter No.Rc.647/45 F dated 24th August 1945 is to direct the activities of the three co-operative Societies and Unions in the Hospet Sugar Factory area. This work is not contemplated to be undertaken by the Agricultural staff to be appointed under the Sugarcane Development Scheme. The duties to be assigned to the Agricultural Staff in the Sugarcane Development Scheme are mainly directed to propaganda on varieties, cultivation practices, prevention of pests and diseases and seed multiplication...As the work proposed to be undertaken by the Co-operative Staff is to supervise the proper working of the sugarcane co-operative unions and societies and as it falls outside the scope of the agricultural staff, the modified proposal of the Registrar of Cooperative Societies

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in his letter cited above (copy attached) regarding the appointment of cooperative staff may be accepted.

C.R.Srinivasa Ayyangar
for Director of Agriculture.

Copy to the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Madras with reference to his No.647/45 F dated 28.5.48.

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True copy - forwarded - by order

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Gazetted Assistant.

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COPY of letter No.Rc.647/45-F dated 20.5.1948 from the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Madras.

Sub: Agriculture - Grow More Food - staff for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crop in Hospet Sugar Factory area.

Ref: Your letter Rec.No.D.1. 1056/47 dated 25.4.1948 and my letter Rc.647/45-F dated 4.5.1948.

In continuation of my letter under reference, I offer the following remarks on the point raised in Government Memorandum No.30118 P.& D.1/48-1 dated 31.7.1948 Development Department.

I invite attention to your letter C.2.792/45 dated 20.7.45 in which the Director of Agriculture agreed with my views on the need for the retention of the entire staff, both agricultural and cooperative, working under the Sugar Excise Fund scheme, for the proper working of the sugarcane Growers' Cooperative Union and Societies in the Hospet Sugarcane Factory area. There are 3 cooperative Societies at Hospet and one at Kamalapuram financing sugar cane growers besides the sugarcane growers' cooperative union which is a propagandist body. For effective propaganda and supervision besides field inspection the services of departmental staff is still necessary. In my proposals submitted to the Government in 1945 provision was made for inclusion of staff relating to both the agricultural and cooperative departments. Now in the revised 5 year scheme for the development of sugar cane industry in this Province, provision has been made only for one agricultural demonstrator, 4 demonstration maistries and one fieldman for Hospet Taluk to conduct propaganda work. While this staff of the agricultural department may be expected to render the necessary technical assistance to cane growers, it will not be possible for them to attend to various other items of work connected with proper management and running of the cane growers' cooperative societies financing the cane cultivation and supplying the cane to the Hospet Factory. It is therefore essential that a complement of the Cooperative Departmental staff also is sanctioned.

3a In the proposals submitted by me in 1945, I had asked for one Senior Inspector and one Lower Division Clerk. It is now considered that these two cannot cope with the work in the 7 societies satisfactorily. I therefore suggest that the Government may be pleased to sanction 1 Senior Inspector, 1 Junior Inspector, 1 Lower Division clerk and 1 peon. Half the cost of this staff will be covered by the provision of Rs.1,854 agreed to by the Government of India in June 1947 to be met from the amount of Rs.5,62,500 allotted to the development of sugarcane industry in this province.

4 The total cost of this staff in the revised scale is to be as follows:-

	Pay and Grade allowances per annum.	Cost per annum.
Cost of 1 Senior Inspector of Coop.Socs.	114	Rs. 1368
" " 1 Junior " "	89	1068
" " 1 Lower Division Clerk	87	04
" " 1 Peon.	34	408
	Total	" 3848.

5 The services of the Junior Inspector will be utilised for [illegible] Co-operative Society and the Senior Inspector and the Lower Division Clerk [illegible] the head office. The peon will be after the [illegible]. It is therefore necessary that the Government is pleased to sanction my proposal as revised above, to facilitate development and [illegible].

(True copy).

9/6/48

Gazetted Assistant.

Dev. (P & D I) Dept.

Sub:- Postwar Development - Development of sugarcane industry - Hospet Sugarcane Growers Co-operative Union ~~and~~ Bellary District and Sugarcane growers co-operative societies - Resuscitation-Temporary co-operative staff - Sanctioned.

Read the following:
1. From the R.C.S. Rc.647/45-F dated 24-8-45
2. From the Secy.. C.D.E.D. Board D.Dis. 568/45 dated 7-9-1945.
3. From the Govt. of India. No.F.47-7/48 Crops dated 10-6-1947.
4. From the Govt. of India. No.D.136 (1437) Com./47 dated 25-2-1948.
5. Govt. Memo No.30118 P & D I/48-1 dated 31-3-1948.
6. From the D.A. Madras Roc.D.1-1058/47 dated 8-6-1948.

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G.O. Ms. No. 4347 Development (P & D) dated 23-8-48

H. E. the Governor of Madras sanctions ~~is accorded to~~ the employment of the following staff for a period of one year from the date of appointment to attend to the work connected with the revival of the sugarcane grower's co-operative societies in the Hospet Sugar Factory area.

One Senior Inspector of Co-operative Societies on the scale of pay of Rs. 90-120 p.m.

One Junior Inspector of Co-operative Societies on the scale of pay of Rs. 65-90 p.m.

One L.D. Clerk on Rs. 45-90 p.m.

One Peon on Rs. 16-25 p.m.

The expenditure on account of the above staff should be debited to "42 Co-operation"/etc. ~~The~~ Accountant General - I ordinary expenditure - 2 Pay of establishment - The Govt. of India have agreed to sanction a grant of Rs. 1,854 towards the cost of the scheme out of the amount of Rs. 5,62,500 allotted for the development of sugarcane industry in the Madras Province. The ~~remaining~~ balance expenditure will be met by the Govt. of Madras.

The A.G. is requested to admit the expenditure in audit pending provision of funds. The R.C.S. is requested to apply for the provision of necessary funds in due course.

To the R.C.S. Madras.
" D.A. Madras.
" Bd. of Rev. (C.S.)
" A.G. through Fin.

Copy to the Secy. C.D.E.D.
Board, Chepauk,
Madras.
" Govt. of India,
Ministry of
Agriculture,
New Delhi.
" Secretary, Fin. Dept.
" B.I. Section.

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Copy added to S.F.

Dev. Dept.

Note file

Civil Supplies - Hospet Sugarcane Growers' Coop Union, Bellary Dt. and Sugarcane Growers' Coop. Societies Registration / Re-registration = Necessary Staff - Sanctioned -

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Minutes and connected
pp 1-3 - 4 cf.

From the RCS No. 647/45-F dated 24.8.45.

From the Secretary, Ceded Districts Economic Development Bd., No. DDis 568/45 dated 7.9.45.

pp 1-2 cf.

ORDER No. M. DATED

Sanction is accorded to the employment of the following staff for a period of one year from the date of appointment to attend to the work connected with the revival of Sugarcane Growers' Coop. Societies in the Hospet Sugar factory area:-

One Agricultural Demonstrator on Rs. 75-200 per mensem as a temporary addition to Category I of class I of the M.A.S.S.

Two Agricultural Naistries on Rs. 15-19 per mensem;

One Senior Inspector of Coop. Societies on Rs. 90-120 p.m.

One Lower Division clerk on Rs. 30-55 per mensem;

M on p. 4 cf.

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The recurring expenditure on account of the employment of the Senior Inspector of Coop Societies & the clerk should be debited to "42. Cooperation" and that on account of the remaining staff should be debited to "40. d. Agriculture Agricultural Demonstration and propaganda. I Ordinary areas - 1-Pay and allowances".

The AG is requested to admit the expenditure in audit pending provision of funds. The RCS and the DA are requested to apply for the

provision of necessary funds in due course

SF 17/9/45 / 7-Sep-45 — JR 19/9/45

To The RCS
" " DA
" " Bdg Rev (4)
" " AG through Dmc.
Copy to the Secy., The Ceded Dists. Economic Dev. Bd Chepauk, Madras.
Copy to AI, JI, and B Sections.
Copy " " Finance (BG)
Copy for S.F.

Or.

Please see the reference in the CF. Subject to orders the draft Order on pp. 1-2 above is submitted for approval. Finance may see for acceptance.

SF 17/9/45 / 7-Sep-45 — JR 19/9/45 — AJI — AJII — DS — ADS

20-9-45 — 21945 — 22945 — Submitted through B/JI, AI and AI Sections

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Finance (E-II) Dev. No 54959 JI/45-1

24 Sep 45

The proposal of the Registrar of Cooperative Societies relates to the revival of the sugarcane growers' cooperative societies working in the Hospet Factory area and to the sanctioning of a special agricultural and cooperative staff for the purpose of instructing the cane growers in the growing of cane etc. It is pointed out by the Registrar that when the scheme of assistance to sugarcane growers was in operation this staff was given to the Cane growers Cooperative Union. The agricultural staff is obviously intended to instruct the ryots and the Cooperative Inspector and clerk are meant for working in the sugarcane growers cooperative Union at Hospet. In support of the proposal it is stated that the Union has asked for this assistance from Government

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2. The scheme of assistance to sugarcane growers was financed by the Govt. of India and was introduced in this Province on 5-1-1938. In sanctioning the scheme, the Govt. of India considered that a period of five years would be sufficien to complete the process of organisation of cooperative societie and their working which would enable the cane cultivator to protect himself thereafter effectively. The scheme should have been wound up by the end of December 1942, but as there was som unspent balance of the grant made by the Govt. of India, the scheme was continued up to 30-6-1944, and the Bellary District was one of the districts in which the scheme worked for more than six years. The staff now proposed was working in the Hospet area till the scheme was wound up.

3. It will be seen from the above that though the scheme of the Govt. of India contemplated Govt. assistance to cane growers only for a period of 5 years, in fact such assistance h been given for 6½ years. The Registrar has not explained why Government assistance should be continued even after this long period. The ryot, if he was really interested in himself, must have, by now, been sufficiently educated in the matter of cane growing as not to need constant instruction from a special staf It seems, he can get whatever instructions he still wants from t the Agricultural staff having territorial jurisdiction over his area. As regards the cooperative Union, the provision of Govt. cooperative staff free of cost cannot be justified unless the Union has no proper men of its own to manage its business, or its finances are so bad that it cannot maintain a staff. It seems, therefore, that if the propsal to sanction special staff i to be pursued, further justification from the Registrar should be called for. ~~Submitted for orders whether~~ Development may b requested to call for a further report from the R.C.S. accordingly.

(The case should be circulated to A-1 if the proposal i to be sanctioned.)

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Finance Dept. note at pp. 2-3 above may

be permd. With reference to para 3 of their note on p. 3 above a draft memo. to the RCS is put up for approval

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by cofus

Through JII & B duties
4.10.45

[Issued as Memo. No. 54959 JII/45-2 dated 6.10.45]. Hy. 7-11

From the RCS. No. Re 647/45-F dated 26.11.45. Hy. 11-13-Cf.

The RCS's reply at pp. 11-12 cf. to the memo. at pp. 7-9 cf. is submitted for perusal. The RCS has explained further the justification for sanctioning the staff proposed by him in his reference at pp. 3-4 cf. for orders whether his views will be accepted in toto or not and if so whether the staff may now be sent to Finance for ~~remarks whether the staff in question may be sanctioned~~ acceptance of the draft order on pp. 1-2 above

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29/11/45.

by cofus

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Through A I, A II, J I and C.

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(Previous Fin. note on pp 2-3 above)

Please see the reply from the R.C.S. on Secy. No. 54959 JII/45-4 at pages 11-12 cf. with ref. to the points raised in paras 2-3 of this dept's note overleaf. In the Circs explained by the Registrar and the deficiency of Sugar in this Province, this dept need not object to the employment of the Special Agrl & Coop. Staff as proposed in the draft on p. 1 above. The draft order may be accepted. As this will augment the 'Grow More Food Campaign', Govt may be requested to consider whether the GI may not be addressed for a half grant. The extra cost on account of the additional staff works out to Rs 5012 pa and as this exceeds the limit of Rs 3,000 pa., A, may see the Case.

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Fin. no 56450 EII-1
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This file deals with the question of appointment, as recommended by the R. C. S., of the staff mentioned at 'M' on p. 4 c.f. for the resuscitation of the sugarcane growers' co-operative societies in the Hospet Sugar factory area. The need for the employment of the staff in question has been explained in detail by the R.C.S. at pp. 3-4 and 11-12-c.f. The draft order on pp. 1-2 above sanctioning the employment of the staff in question has been accepted by Fin. who have, however, suggested that the Govt of India may be requested to sanction a grant to meet half the cost of the staff as their employment will ~~almost~~ strengthen the Grow More Food Campaign.

The nature of the schemes in respect of which the Govt. of India have promised to give financial assistance has been indicated by them in their letter at pp. 1-4 of (1). It will be observed that the proposal in this file will come under item (3) of that letter. India have, however, stipulated that financial assistance will be given only in respect of schemes started with their prior approval. The staff in question can therefore be sanctioned only after obtaining the prior consent of India for bearing a half share of the cost. For orders whether Fin. Dept's suggestion will be accepted in this dept. Subject to orders a draft letter to India is submitted. Fin. may see for acceptance before circulation.

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Through Sections

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A III 20.12.45 B 20.12.45 20.12.45

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(Previous Fin note on p 4 above) The draft letter to India may be accepted and the case returned to Dev. (The claim for half cost has been worked out on the basis of the minimum of the appropriate scales of pay + DA in accordance with the general practice now followed)

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Fin to 6109 31.12.45

Dev. Dept.

Notes from p. 5 ante may be perused. The Case may be circulated to A_3 and A_1 for orders whether the draft letter may issue.

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Ad Sec 1.46

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[Issued as Letter No. 54959 J-6/45-6 dated 7.1.46]. JP 13.1.46

From the Dept. of Agriculture, Govt. of India fwr 614 C/46 – letter No. 4071-Crops/46 dated 29-5-46. P 15 of the letter from the Govt. of India cited above may be perused. Final decision by the Govt. of India may be awaited [Nil action after 7.6.46]

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From the Govt of India Dept of Agriculture letter No F/47-1/46 Crops dated 10/6/47 M P 17.

Food Department(F).

(Previous notes need not be read).

The proposals in this file relate to the appointment (as recommended by the R.C.S.) of the staff of one Agricultural Demonstarator, one Senior Inspector of Co-operative Societies, two Agricultural Demonstration Maistries and one Lower Division Clerk for a period of one year from the date of appointment for the resuscitation of the Sugarcane growers' Co-operative Societies in the Hospet sugar factory area. The need for the employment of the staff in question has been explained in detail by the R.C.S. at pp 3-4 and 11-12 c.f. The proposals were already accepted by Finance and approved in circulation under Section 93 rule in January 1946. The Government of India were however

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addressed to sanction a grant to meet half the cost of the staff, as their employment would strengthen the Grow More Food Campaign. India have now agreed to meet half the cost on the staff proposed to be employed under the scheme. It may however be mentioned in this connection that the cost on account of the employment of the staff was previously estimated at Rs.3,708 and the Government of India were requested to meet half of it i.e., Rs.1,854 which they have now agreed. Due to the recent revision of scales of pay by this Government the expenditure on account of the staff will now amount to Rs.4,332/- i.e., there will be an additional expenditure of Rs.624/-. As India have decided to meet the expenditure involved, from the share of the Provincial Government from the proceeds of additional temporary excise on sugar under the 1943 and 1944 ordinances they may not have any objection to meet their share of this extra cost amounting to Rs.312. They may be addresse to meet half the additional cost. A draft letter to India and a draft order sanctioning the staff is submitted below for approval. Finance may see before circulation.

Food U.O.No.627F/AG-16
5-7-47.

28/6/47

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5/7/47

Dev. Deptt.
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Notes from the bottom of p 6 above and the drafts below may be perused and the file passed on to Fin.

7/7/47

The question of utilization of the Sugar excise fund mentioned at 'X' on p17 c.6. is Reed on 9.7.47 separately under consideration in Pub (P&D). Food Dept. may be requested to consult Pub (P&D) dept. also before circulation.

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Fin (84)

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(Previous Finance notes on pp 2-3 above)

Notes of Food dissent from p 4 above may be read. The draft order and the draft letter to the Govt of India may be accepted subject to the following remarks. The extra cost involved in the proposal with reference to the instructions issued in U.O. Note No. 65500/BG-32 dated 31.12.46 works out to Rs 5864/- and as it exceeds the limit of Rs 5000/- the proposal will have to be referred to the S.F.C and the orders of Cabinet obtained.

Food may do this as it thinks fit (V) Hall 16.7.47 Light (V) 16.7.47 for the SFC

Please see the notes of Dev and Finance at pp 7-8 above and the letter from the R.C.S. since received at p 19 c.f. The R.C.S may be informed that the formal reply of Govt has since been received and that the matter is under consideration of the Govt. The draft Memo on p 20 c.f is for approval. After issue of the memo, the file may be sent to Pub (P&D) w.r.t Dev remarks at 2 on p 7 above before the case is referred to H.M Food & H.M Finance.

Pub (P.K.D.) (Asst)

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1 Secy Agr 109·3 152
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1 Lit Clerk 67·5
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ORAL ASSISTANT SECRETARY
10 JUL 1947
FOOD DEPARTMENT

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To A.S.

Notes from M on p.6 ante may alone be perused. With reference to X on p.17 c.f., it may be stated that the Govt. of India have allotted to this Province, on the recommendation of the I.C.S.C a sum of Rs.5,62,500 out of the total sum of Rs.75 lakhs available for sugarcane development in India subject to the condition that this Govt. should spend an equal sum on these schemes. This Govt. considered the allotment as inadequate especially as compared with Rs.30 lakhs allotted to the U.P. and asked the I.C.S.C. to address the Govt. of India to increase the allotment to Rs.8½ lakhs. But the I.C.S.C. refused to recommend the increase in allotment but called for revised schemes for the development of sugarcane industry in this Province within the monetary allotment already made. The D.A. ~~who~~ was asked to submit a revised scheme costing Rs.11,25,000 for development of sugarcane industry, ~~has submitted a~~ He did accordingly and has revised scheme for the development of sugarcane in 24 Taluks and for opening 4 Laison farms in sugar factory areas at an estimated cost of Rs.11,24,544. ~~One half of this amount will have to be met from the allotment of Rs. 5,62,500 made to this Province~~. The proposals of the D.A. have been examined and the file sent on 16-7-1947 to Dev., Food and Fin. for remarks. If the scheme is approved by this Govt., half the cost of the scheme viz. Rs.5,62,272 will be met from the allotment (Rs. 5,62,500) made by the Govt. of India and the other half being contributed from the Provincial Revenues. ~~The balance of Rs. 228~~ There will thus be a balance of only Rs 228 from the G.o.I. allotment and this will not be sufficient to cover half the cost of the ~~pre~~ sent scheme viz. Rs.2,166 payable as grant by the Govt. of India.

This Dept. may therefore suggest that the Govt. of India may be informed that, as a revised scheme for the development of sugarcane industry in the Province costing Rs.11,24,544 is proposed to be separately sent to the I.C.S.C. for being financed from the allotment of Rs.5,62,500 on a half grant basis

basis and as the balance available from the allotment is only Rs. 228/- the balance of grant due under the present scheme viz. Rs 2166-228 = Rs 1938 will have to be met either from the normal funds of the I.C.S.C. or by increasing the Govt. of India allotment to that extent. Food Dept. may be asked to address Govt. of India for increased allotment for this Scheme.

After orders are passed, the file may be returned to Food Dept. H.Q.

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To AS

[Notes from P.6 ante]

Pub. (C&D) have stated that though India have agreed to meet half the cost of the proposals in this file, from out of the Provincial allotment of Rs. 5,62,500, there will only be a balance of Rs. 228/= when the cost of other major development schemes in the Province proposed to be met from this allotment has been taken into consideration. In the O.C., they have offered the suggestion as at A above. They estimate the cost of the scheme to be Rs. 5864/=. They have therefore advised that the proposals should be first referred to the S.F.C and orders obtained. In the altered O.C. aforesaid, it would not seem necessary to presume Govt. of India's concurrence as they have now to meet half the cost of the proposals substantially as the consent previously given by them ~~Otherwise than they have agreed to~~ at X on P.17 ante. India's prior concurrence would therefore seem necessary. If this view

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cf A, P.17

cf K P.8 ante

cf M, P.16 ante

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is approved reference to the S.F.C at this stage does not seem necessary and India's reply may be awaited. Subject to orders the draft letter to India as modified to the extent necessary. For orders whether the modified letter will be approved and issued and further action in this file awaited India's reply.

Fin may please agree

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(Finance last Saw on 4 8 47)

Fin (S)

The further note of P & D I and Food at pp 9-11 above may be perused. The draft letter to Govt of India may be accepted and the case returned to Food Dn. Reference to S.F.C. may wait till India's approval is received & the exact provision of the expenditure is known.

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Finance have accepted the draft letter to India. The draft may now issue and further action in the file may await India's reply.

9.8.47 9/8/47 9.8.47 D.S. 11/8/47

ADDITIONAL ASSISTANT SECRETARY
8 - AUG 1947
FOOD DEPARTMENT
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[Issued as letter No. 637 F/47-20 dated 11-8-47 from the Govt of India No. D. 136 (1437) Com/47 dated 28-2-48]

[Note from the middle of P.6 above]

India's letter at P. 23-cf. in reply to this Dept letter at pp 21-22 cf may be perused. India have categorically stated that they are unable to agree to the grant of any additional fund towards the expenditure

on account of the scheme under reference as previously stated in their letter dated 17-2-48 they are unable to make the expenditure (out of the share of this Provincial Govt. set apart for development works) Rs. 5,62,000 early if possible. In these circumstances, Dev. (P&D) may perhaps be requested to examine whether it will be possible to include the scheme under reference in the revised schemes for the Development of Sugarcane industry.

It is submitted in this connection that after the control over sugar has been withdrawn, this scheme for the resuscitation of the Hospet Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Sugarcane Union and the Sugarcane Co-operative Societies falls under the scope of general development of sugarcane cultivation. It would therefore appear appropriate that the case may be dealt with in the Dev. Dept. It is therefore for orders whether the file may be sent with a request that they may kindly take it over / transferred to Dev. for further action.

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SR 5/2/48 3 — 5/2/48 2 — P. 2. 48 — 10/3/48 — Secy. / Dev

No. 627-E/46-27

Dev. 30118 P&D1

13-3-48

GOVT. ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT. 18 MAR 1948 DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Dev. (P&D I) Dept.

To A.S. (Previous note need not be read)

This file deals with the proposal submitted by the R.C.S. for the appointment of the staff of one Agricultural Demonstrator (two Demonstrators Taluka), One Senior Inspector of Co-operative Societies and one Lower Division Clerk for a period of one year from the date of appointment with a view to resuscitate the Sugarcane Growers' Co-operative Societies in the Hospet area.

The proposal was submitted by the R.C.S. with reference

reference to para 10 of the note on the working of the India Sugars and Refineries Ltd., Hospet, and on Sugarcane cultivation and other problems affecting the sugar industry prepared by the Secretary of the Ceded District Economic Development. The object of the R.C.S.'s proposal was to induce the sugarcane growers to take to new methods of cultivation through demonstrations and timely introduction etc. The proposal has been pending since 1945 as the final reply from the Govt. of India regarding their concurrence to meet half the cost of the ~~scheme~~ has been awaited.

At the suggestion of the Finance Department, the Govt. of India was requested to sanction a grant to meet half the cost of the staff as their employment would ~~xxxxx~~ strengther the G.M.F. Campaign. The Govt. of India agreed in June '47 to meet half the cost on account of the employment of the staff viz Rs.1,854/-. They also stated that the expenditure incurred would be met from the share of the Provincial Govt. from the proceeds of addtional temporary excise on sugar under the 1943 and 1944 Ordinances which amounted to Rs. 5,62,500 in case of the Province. By then the scales of pay of the services had been revised increasing the cost of the scheme by Rs. 624. As there would be only a sum of Rs.228 left out of the sum of Rs. 5,62,500 allotted to this Province from the sugar excise fund after meeting the cost of the 5 year scheme for sugarcane development in this Province viz. Rs.5,62,272 and as it was not possible to meet the share of the Govt. of India from the balance that would be available ~~from for~~ Rs. 5,62,500, the Govt. of India was requested to meet half the cost of the staff which amounted to Rs. 2,704 excluding the balance of Rs.228 available from the allotment of Rs. 5,62,500 made to the Province for sugar excise fund either from the normal funds of the I.C.S.C. or by increasing the Govt. of India allotment to the extent necessary. The Govt. of India, have in their letter at p.23 c.f. declined to give any additional grant on account of the scheme for improving methods of sugarcane crops in the Hospet Sugar Factory area.

They have however agreed to meet the extra cost on account of the revision of the scales of pay of the staff, if possible, out of the allotment of Rs. 5,62,500 made to this Province ~~out of~~ the special grant of Rs. 75 lakhs set apart for developmental work.

In its letter No.F.96(1)/47-447 dated 11-3-48, the I.C.S.C. approved the revised scheme for the development of sugarcane industry in this Province subject to the condition among others, that a sum of Rs.1,854 would be deducted, from the quota allotted to this Province to meet half the cost of the scheme for improving methods of sugarcane cultivation and for protection of sugarcane crops from pests and diseases in the Hospet sugar factory area. If the proposal of the Govt. of India at A on p.23 c.f. is also taken into account, then an additional sum of Rs. 1,078 may have to be deducted from the provincial allotment, as the revised cost of the scheme amounts to Rs. 5864/-. In that case, the grant available for the Sugarcane development scheme will be Rs. 5,62,500 -2,932= Rs.5,59,568 only. In effect, this amounts to including the scheme of the R.C.S. in the five year plans for the development of sugarcane industry though the amount of grant is not increased to the extent necessary.

In this connection, it may be mentioned that in the scheme for the development of ~~kk~~ sugarcane in this Province the following provision has been made so far as the Hospet area is concerned.

For concentrating and intensifying propaganda work in Hospet taluk, the employment of one Agricultural Demonstrator, one fieldmen and 4 demonstration maistries will be made. The main work of the staff will be those referred to in para 2 (b) on p.2 of (Q). Besides this a liaison farm will be opened in the vicinity of sugar factory in Hospet, which will be in charge of a Gazetted Officer assisted by a technical staff consisting of two farm managers, two fieldmen and a unit of ministerial staff. The main items of work in the liaison farms are explained in para 2 (a) on pp.1-2 of (Q). In view of the provision made in the 5 year scheme for the development of

of sugarcane in the Hospet area as explained above, it is for consideration whether it is necessary to sanction the scheme submitted by the R.C.S. in 1945 when the 5 year scheme had not taken a definite shape. Perhaps D.A. may be asked to submit a report in the matter in consultation with R.C.S. For orders Food & Finance Co-ops may see for remarks.

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A report may be called for from the D.A. in the first instance
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D.A.S.

A draft memo to the D.A. is submitted for ~~it~~

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H 25-26 Issued on memo No 30118/DI(48-1 dt 31.3.48.
H 29-32 From the D.A Masters Rec D1-10588/47 dt 8 Aug

To A.S.

The summarising note from the middle of p.12 ante the Govt. memo at p.25-26 c.f. and the D.A's reply at pp.29-32 c.f. may be perused.

H 25-26 In the memo at pp.25-26 c.f. the Govt. asked the D.A to examine the need for sanctioning the proposals of the R.C.S. for the appointment of special staff to resuscitate the Sugarcane Grower's Co-operative Societies in Hospet area in the light of the Revised Scheme for the development of sugarcane industry and submit a report to Govt. at an early date.

H 29-30 & H 31-32 The D.A. has now forwarded a copy of the report of the R.C.S. together with his remarks in the matter. For reasons stated in para 2 on p.31 c.f., the R.C.S. consider it essential that a complement of co-operative staff should be sanctioned for resuscitating Sugarcane Co-operative

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Co-operative Societies in Hospet area. In his original proposals submitted in 1945, the R.C.S. applied for ~~the~~ sanction of one Agricultural Demonstrator, 2 Demonstration maistries, 1 Senior Co-operative Inspector and 1 L.D. Clerk. The Agrl. staff originally proposed has apparently been dropped now in view of the provision made (for Agrl. staff) in the Revised Scheme for the development of sugarcane industry. He now considers that the co-operative staff originally proposed by him cannot cope with the work of three co-operative societies satisfactorily and has therefore applied for ~~the~~ sanction of one Senior Co-operative Inspector, One Junior Co-operative Inspector, One L.D. Clerk and One peon at an estimated cost of Rs.3,648 per annum. The Govt. of India have agreed to sanction a grant of Rs. 1,854 ~~only~~ while half the cost of the staff (according to Rcs revised proposal) amounts to Rs. 1,824/-/- only. The R.C.S. has further stated that the Junior Co-operative Inspector will attend to the work of the Kamalapuram Co-operative Society and the Senior Inspector and the other staff will attend to the work of two other societies and the Co-operative ~~u~~ Union at Hospet. For the reasons stated at M on p.29 c.f, the D.A. has supported the proposals of the R.C.S. for the appointment of the co-operative staff. In the circumstances, it is for consideration whether the Revised proposals of the R.C.S. for the appointment of the co-operative staff as detailed at R on p.27 (32) c.f. may be sanctioned

Food and Finance may see for remarks.

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Food dept (I)

Development notes from p.1 alone may be perused and the case it is submitted that the subject Sugar cane has since been transferred to Dev. The case may therefore be passed on to Fin & Dev.

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Fin (E II)

[Previous Fin. note on p 11 above]

The summarising note by Dev. from the middle of p 12 above which explains the latest position in respect of the proposals in this file may be perused. According to the proposals as now revised the following co-operative staff is considered essential to ~~xxxx~~ protect the Sugarcane Growers Co-operative Societies in Hospet Area

	av. cost p.m.	D.A.
	Rs	Rs
Senior Inspector of Co-op. Societies on Rs 99—120	109.3	27.
Junior Inspector on Rs 65—90	78.9	24
2 d. clerks on Rs 45—90	67.5	24
peon on Rs 16—25	20.7	19
	276.4	94

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Cost p.a = 4444.8 or Rs 4445

The proposal of Dev. at P on p 16 above may be accepted

H.M. Finance may see.

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To A.S.

~~Food~~ and Fin. notes above may be perused. The file deals with the proposals submitted by the R.C.S. in 1945 for the appointment of the staff of 1 Agricultural Demonstrator and two demonstration maistries and one Senior Inspector of Co-operative Societies, one Lower Division Clerk for a period of one year for resuscitating sugarcane growers co-operative societies in the Hospet Sugar Factory area. The cost of the scheme was then estimated at Rs. 3,708/-. At the

the suggestion of Finance, the Govt. of India was asked to sanction a grant to meet half the cost of the staff as their employment would strengthen the G.M.F. Campaign. The Govt. of India agreed to bear half the cost of staff viz. Rs. 1,854 from out of the allotment of Rs. 5,62,500 allotted to the Madras Province for the development of sugarcane industry. As the scales of pay of the staff have been revised generally by then, the Govt. of India was asked to increase the grant to Rs. 2,932 viz. half the cost of the revised estimate of Rs.5,864/-. But the Govt. of India declined to do so for the reasons mentioned at p.23 c.f. As the five year scheme for t development of sugarcane industry which has been approved by the I.C.S.C. included provision for the starting of a liason farm at Hospet and also for concentrating and intensifying sugarcane development and propaganda work in Hospet Taluk, the D.A. was asked to examine the necessity for the staff proposed by the R.C.S. and submit a report in consultation with him. The reports of the R.C.S. and the D.A. in the matter are at pp.29-32 c.f. For the reasons stated in para 2 on p.31 c.f, the R.C.S. consider it essential that a complement of co-operative staff is necessary for resuscitating sugarcane growers co-operative societies in Hospet area and has proposed the appointment of a staff of 1 Senior Inspector of Co-operative Societies, 1 Junior Inspector of Co-operative Societies, 1 Lower Division Clerk and 1 Peon to cope with the work of 3 Co-operative Societies in the area. He has left out the Agricultural staff originally proposed. The revised staff is estimated to cost Rs. 4,445/- per annum. For the reasons stated at M on p.29 c.f. the D.A. has supporte the proposals of the R.C.S. This Dept. propose to accept the revised proposals of the R.C.S. and sanction the appointment of the co-operative staff as detailed at R on p.27 c.f. Finance have accepted the proposal and have asked for the circulation of the case to H.M. (Fin.). For orders whether the proposals may be sanctioned. Subject to orders, a draft

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draft order is submitted for consideration.